SENATE COMMEMORATION NO. 8

Introduced by: Senators Hundstad and Sutton (Duane) and Representatives Dennert, Elliott, Frost, and Novstrup

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Honoring Susan Wein for her professional dedication at Presentation College where she has been a professor for nineteen years.

WHEREAS, Susan Wein began her academic career at the University of South Dakota earning a Bachelor of Arts; then earned a masters degree from Northern State University in Guidance Counseling and a masters degree from the University of Minnesota in social work. She also earned the Burlington Northern Outstanding Faculty Member Award; and

WHEREAS, Susan continues to exemplify her expertise in her fields of learning as an active member of the National Association of Social Work, and in community involvement as a member of the Good Shephard Lutheran Church in Aberdeen; and

WHEREAS, Susan continues to be active in the community through her efforts in the Church's Little Lambs Pre-school program as well as incorporating in her social concerns classes at Presentation College, the legislative process with one-on-one dialogue with area legislators, thus relaying the importance of the legislative process and community involvement; and

WHEREAS, Susan Wein also accompanies her students to the legislative session each year, with students testifying on certain bills during the committee process:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eightieth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that Susan Wein is recognized and commended for her scholarly achievements and continuing community efforts and for remaining active in the legislative process through her lessons and visits.